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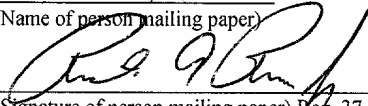
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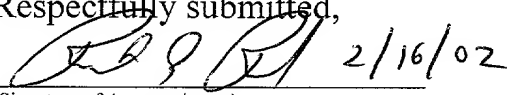
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1. In response to an Office Action Notice to File Corrected Application Papers that was mailed on September 6, 2001, enclosed please find a copy of the Notice and two complete sets of formal drawings, each set including three sheets and each set containing seven formal drawings that are in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84. Please replace the drawings that was filed with the application with these formal drawings.

2. A Petition and Fee for an extension of time is also enclosed.

3. Having Power of Attorney in the matter, please direct all future correspondence to the new correspondence address appearing below.

Respectfully submitted,

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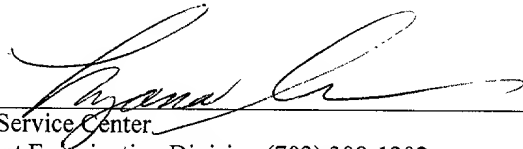
*Filing Date Granted*

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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